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**In re Patent Application of:  
Peter J. Stappers**

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ELECTRONIC DATABASE

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## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

## INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated January 2, 2004 (Paper No. 5), please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.